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February 3, 2005

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JANET E. KAWELO COMMISSIONER

To all Parties:

Re: Docket No. 05-0002, In the Matter of Public Utilities Commission Instituting a Proceeding to Investigate the Issues and Requirements Raised by, and Contained in, Hawaii Revised Statutes 486H, as Amended.

Enclosed, please find a copy of a letter which was sent to the Commission by Ted Gamble Clause on behalf of "Citizens Against Gas Price Gouging" on January 21, 2005.

Pursuant to Hawaii Administrative Rules ("HAR") § 6-61-29(b), this letter is being sent to all parties and shall be made an official part of the record.

If you have any questions, please contact Kevin Katsura at (808)586-2019. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Kevin M. Katsura Commission Counsel

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Enclosure

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January 21, 2005

Public Utilities Commission 465 S. King Street, Room 103 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Re: Order No. 21525, Institututing a Proceeding to Investigate the Issues and Requirements Raised by, and Contained in, Hawaii Revised Statutes 486H as amended.

Honorable Commissioners:

I write on behalf of a small group of concerned citizens that organized under the name of "Citizens Against Gas Price Gouging" in 2003. Our group possesses a certain familiarity with the gasoline marketing industry in Hawaii. It was on the basis of this familiarity that we worked with the Hawaii legislature to formulate Act 242 in 2004. Some members of the group helped the legislature in the enactment of Act 77 in 2002.

We wish to make our familiarity available to the Commission however the Commission may decide it will be of use in the investigation. Accordingly, rather than move to intervene or to participate in the investigation, we will await whatever request for help the Commission may make of us and do the best we can to respond.

Should you have questions, you may call me at 534 3531 or Frank Young at 593 2842.

Ted Gamble Clause